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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR	)	
THE APPLICATION OF POWDER	)	
MATERIAL TO SUBSTRATES	)	
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination, kindly amend the above-captioned application as follows: